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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: SNAR LE
SUBJ: DOPE - LEBANESE HASHISH AND SYRIAN HIERARCHY

1. ITALIAN AMBASSADOR HAS INFORMED HIS EUROPEAN COLLEAGUES THAT LARGE SHIPMENT OF HASHISH OIL, IN TINS, WAS ACCIDENTALLY DISCOVERED AT ROME AIRPORT RECENTLY. COMMODITY HAD BEEN BROUGHT FROM DAMASCUS BY PAKISTAN INTERNATIONAL. ITALIANS SUSPECT IT WAS SHIPPED BY PRESIDENT ASSAD'S BROTHER RIFAAT, WHOSE SPECIAL FORCES CONTROL NORTHERN BEKAA, FROM WHENCE THEY NOT BEING ROTATED BACK HOME LIKE OTHER SYRIAN UNITS.

2. WE REPORT FOR THE RECORD. HASHISH CROP IN NORTHERN BEKAA THIS YEAR REPORTED TO BE RECORD-BREAKING, AND LARGE QUANTITIES LEBANESE HASHISH SUDDENLY TURNING UP ALL OVER THE PLACE.
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